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JUDGE WELLS SPEAKS TONIGHT

Courageous Young Murray Judge On Law and Order.

AT THE COURT HOUSE.

Man Who Routed The Night Riders In Calloway County.

County Judge A. J. G. Wells, of Calloway county, will deliver a speech at the court house tonight under the auspices of the Law and Order League. Judge Wells is a strong friend of the Tobacco Association and he has made some able and effective speeches against what he calls the twin evils of the association—the trusts and the night riders. Judge Wells comes to this county almost an entire stranger, but he has many admirers here from his firm and determined stand against lawlessness in his county, which resulted in about thirty or more indictments by the last grand jury in Calloway county.

He will be heard by a crowded house. The speaking will begin at 8 o'clock.

THOUSANDS STARVING.

British Government Feeding 50,000 Natives In East Africa.

Mombasa, British East Africa, May 25.—More than 40,000 deaths have resulted from the severe famine prevailing in the Usoga province Uganda. The Government is feeding 50,000 of the natives. Crops are a complete failure and there is prospect of much suffering during the next few months.

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BRILLIANT RECEPTION TO GOV. AND MRS. NORRIS

Principal Society Event of the Month and the Affair Was Of Exceptional Elegance.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. McPherson gave an elegant and largely attended reception to Governor and Mrs. Edwin Norris, of Montana, Tuesday evening. Gov. Norris is a native of Kentucky and Mrs. Norris is a sister of Mrs. McPherson. The commodious McPherson residence was thrown open to the scores of guests and a band played sweet music at intervals during the evening.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. McPherson, Gov. and Mrs. Norris, Miss Mary McPherson and Mrs. Belle Able, of Bowling Green.

Miss Annie McPherson invited the guests into the dining room, where ices, cakes and pink and white mints were served. The punch bowls were presided over by Mr. Charles McKee and Miss Mary Wallace, Mr. Henry Wallace and Miss Louise Jones, Mr. Charles McPherson and Miss Katie Wallace.

Mesdames A. H. Wallace, Frank McCreath and H. D. Wallace were in

the dining room.

The refreshments were delicious and the reception was a most enjoyable affair in every way.

Gov. Norris is a young man of distinguished appearance. His face is beardless and his hair is growing quite thin. He is straight and erect and carries himself with the quick, energetic movements of the typical Westerner. This is the second time he has filled the office of Governor of Montana, as he was acting Governor for three months in 1899, while President of the Senate. He was elected Lieutenant Governor in 1904 with Gov. J. K. Toole, who resigned April 1st, and Gov. Norris will fill out the term till Jan. 1st. He will be the nominee of the Democratic party for the full term and his re-election is practically assured.

Gov. Norris will visit other points in the State, while Mrs. Norris remains here for awhile on a visit to her sister.

BEHIND THE BARS.

Negro Surrendered by Surety and Placed In Jail.

John Howell, under an indictment charging him with having sent a threatening letter to Bedford Davie, another negro, signed "Night Riders," was surrendered to the authorities here yesterday by Mr. Phil Wills, his bondsman, and placed in jail. After Howell's case was continued at the last term of court, he furnished bond and had since been employed on the farm of Mr. Wills, his surety.

WANTED—Stock to pasture.
C. L. DADE, R. F. D. No. 4.

SECRET BURIAL.

Owen County Man Shot In the Head.

Frankfort, Ky., May 26.—That more than one man was killed in the difficulty which resulted in the death of Newt Hazelett in Shelby county last Thursday night is the belief of men who live in that section of Shelby. Jack Estes, who lives near the Franklin, Owen and Henry county lines, was in Frankfort today and says he saw a man buried last Friday, the day following the trouble in Shelby county. Estes' story was about as follows:

"I saw a party of men come from Owen county with a dead man, who was the brother of one of the men accompanying the corpse. They would not talk about how the dead man came to his death, but when pressed for information said that the man had shot himself accidentally. The whole top of the man's head had been shot away. He was buried in a country graveyard near the place where I live."

Estes would not tell the name of the man killed, but his story left the impression that the man had been killed during a raid by the night riders, either by the night riders or by some one who was on the other side of the question. The neighbors of the dead man, Estes is quoted as saying, believe that the dead man met death at the same time as Hazelett, in some manner as yet unexplained. The secret burial and the nature of the wound indicate that there is some mystery about the killing and it is thought here that perhaps more than one man was killed at the time Hazelett met his death.

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Compromise Reached in Hollowell Damage Suits.

Princeton, Ky., May 27.—The compromise which has been under discussion for the past week between the attorneys for the defendants and plaintiffs in the Hollowell damage suit against twenty-nine Caldwell county farmers was agreed to Monday. All the defendants were here and agreed to meet the agreement, which was \$15,000. Each side agreed to pay their part of the costs. This settles the other cases pending also, wiping the case from the United States civil docket.

Raid Failed.

Capt. Norman and three men of the Frankfort military company returned after guarding a farmer's property for three nights. A raid by night riders was expected, but failed to materialize.

TOBACCO MEN IN CONFERENCE

Graders and Salesmen From All Over the District Present.

COL. EWING PRESIDED.

Condition of Tobacco in Hogsheads Was a Subject of Consideration.

The highest officials of the tobacco Association and practically all of the graders and salesmen from the Dark district met here Tuesday night and an important conference was held at Hotel Latham, which was in session until a late hour. The proceedings were in executive session and but little information was given out.

Among those present were: Felix B. Ewing, Gen. Mgr., Glen Raven, Tennessee.

Joel B. Fort, attorney, Springfield, Tennessee.

Jno. D. Scates, auditor, Guthrie, Kentucky.

J. B. Swann, Murray, Kentucky.

C. A. Hood, " "

B. C. Veal, " "

A. N. Neal, Paducah, " "

Ben S. Street, Elkton, " "

E. E. Wash, Cadiz, " "

J. S. Lawrence, Barbour, " "

B. L. Penick, Elkton, " "

Alva Miller, Calvert, " "

J. O. Bell, grader, Cobb, " "

J. T. Myles, Mayfield, " "

W. H. Humphrey, " "

C. G. Gill, Elkton, " "

B. V. Crittenden, " "

Henry Harris, Paducah.

Reams Farmer, Adams, Tenn.

J. B. Jackson, Russellville, Ky.

J. M. Coutts, Springfield, Tenn.

B. L. Moore, " "

R. E. Glover, " "

E. W. Garner, Adairville, Ky.

John R. Orr, Princeton, Ky.

R. J. Kruger, Eddyville, Ky.

C. F. Miller, Cadiz, Ky.

W. B. Blakemore, Martin, Tennessee.

W. W. Radford, Howell, Ky.

S. G. Buckner, Hopkinsville salesman, and the other local tobacco men were also present.

One matter of business was the "high" condition in which a good deal of the tobacco has been prized. It is not passing through the "sweat" satisfactorily and some of the hogsheads when opened are found to be in such a condition that the buyers are slow to take them. It is supposed that a general conference was called to discuss the causes and to fix the responsibility of any losses growing out of these complaints, and to adopt such rules as will avoid such troubles in the future.

TWO GAMES.

Between Indians and Picked Home Team.

Col. Figg's baseball team of Indians arrived yesterday and the afternoon game of ball at S. K. C. grounds was in progress when we went to press, with the following line-up.

INDIANS.	HOME.
White Cloud.....	p.....Edwards.
Navajo.....	c.....Cunningham.
Spotted Tail.....	1b.....Keeran.
Scar Face.....	2b.....Byars.
Man-Afraid.....	ss.....Williams.
Red Horse.....	3b.....H. Haddin.
Big Beaver.....	rf.....Elliott.
Sitting Bull, Jr.....	cf.....D. Sherrill.
Three Rivers.....	lf.....S. Morris.
Swift Horse.....	sub.
Bad man Charlie.....	p.
Black Eagle.....	p.

Another game was to be played last night by the light of 50,000 candle power, with some changes in the line-up of the home team.

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